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MEMORANDUM FOR: CHIEF, FOREIGN BRANCH  
OFFICE OF NAVAL INTELLIGENCE  
DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

SUBJECT: Production of Scientific Intelligence in the Field  
of Ordnance

REFERENCE: Memorandum from Assistant Director, Office of Reports  
and Estimates, on above subject dated 30 August 1948.

1. Attached hereto, marked as Enclosure No. 1, are the minutes of the second meeting of the Ad Hoc Committee on Production of Scientific Intelligence in the Field of Ordnance to which is appended the revised Statement of Foreign Intelligence Requirements of the Committee on Ordnance, Research and Development Board.

2. The Ad Hoc Committee has determined the allocation of responsibility for the required collection and production action in response to the Statement of Foreign Intelligence Requirements of the Committee on Ordnance, Research and Development Board, dated 4 May 1948, as revised by the Ad Hoc Committee in the interest of clarification of the requirements. The allocation of responsibility has been parenthesized following each subject as listed under each section of the requirements.

3. It is requested that each agency initiate collection and production action on the revised Statement of Foreign Intelligence Requirements of the Committee on Ordnance, Research and Development Board (Annex No. 1 to Enclosure). Target date of the initial draft is 1 December 1948 at the Office of Reports and Estimates.

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Assistant Director  
Reports and Estimates

Enclosure:

Minutes of the Second Meeting of the Ad Hoc Committee on Production of Scientific Intelligence in the Field of Ordnance, with Annex No. 1 (Revised Requirements, Committee on Ordnance, Research & Development Bd.)

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